



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

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1 message

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]
Bcc: [REDACTED]

Thu, Dec 31, 2009 at 5:14 PM

Dear Bob:

I sincerely hope that your recovery is almost complete in time for the beginning of the New Year. As long as you were making progress I decided not to bother you with all the numismatic problems which I am lucky enough to encounter. The medical profession is amazing in being able to keep the human body back together again after mechanical failures. So do what they tell you to do so you can stay in mint condition.

May 2010 and beyond bring you HEALTH and happiness.

Eric



Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

It's your day!

1 message

Robert W. Hoge <[REDACTED]>

Wed, May 25, 2011 at 10:22 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Eric,

Here's wishing you a very happy birthday on this momentous and happy occasion! I have been thinking of you quite a bit recently, and want to offer my sincere best wishes and appreciation for all the wonderful things you have done in numismatics, and for the splendid and inspirational human being that you are! Our friend Ken Bressett asked me to convey his own personal best wishes to you, too, since both of us would like to be celebrating this milestone with you.

When it may be convenient for you, I would like to discuss proceeding with the ongoing search, which you have so successfully managed, for the missing ANS coins that were purloined by the nefarious Dr. Sheldon. Please feel free to call me at the ANS or at home in "da Bronx" ([REDACTED]) or let me know when it might be agreeable for you to have me give you a call. If you prefer, we can also pursue this rather tedious business via email.

Once again, I send you my finest wishes and congratulations on this auspicious day!

Yours truly,

Bob

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Appreciation

3 messages

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Wed, Jul 13, 2011 at 2:25 PM

Dear Bob:

The current edition of the ANS Magazine contains comments about and images of me and indicates you were the primary writer. What an assignment! You combed my life in numismatics so thoroughly and kindly that my memory was refreshed by revealing some of the fun and excitement I have had. I thought that the presentation of the plaque by ANS for my 100th birthday was enough but the magazine was icing on the cake. I had 100 candles on my Birthday Cake in New York City for our family party and needed all my great grandchildren and grandchildren to help blow them out with me.

I realize how much research and study you had to perform to dig out all the material about me and how clearly you presented it. Thank you. Even my family were surprised.

I hope that my numismatic life has been a help to others to seek similar goals and I intend to continue at whatever pace my marbles (if any) permit me to undertake. Eric

Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Jul 13, 2011 at 2:52 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Eric,

You are welcome, and I thank you for your generous comments about my article in the latest *ANS Magazine*. You are too kind! It was a pleasure to work on it, and I am glad that you have derived some enjoyment from it too. Before publication, I showed it to Ken Bressett for review, and he told me that he enjoyed it as well.

You have always been an inspiration for me. Please let me know if there is ever anything that I can do to be useful to you in your on-going, wide-ranging and never-ending researches!

All the best,

Bob

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[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Wed, Jul 13, 2011 at 3:29 PM

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Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

Fwd: 18th century mint edge marking

1 message

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Sat, Sep 3, 2011 at 12:24 PM

From: [REDACTED]
To: [REDACTED]
Sent: 9/2/2011 6:08:34 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
Subj: 18th century mint edge marking

Hi Eric,

Thanks for your call. Glad that you came through Irene unscathed! It is always a pleasure to hear from you and to chat.

I have been looking into your inquiry, and hope I may be able to assist. I think, if I am not mistaken, that the reference to which you alluded is the bound manuscript *An essay on coining*, by Samuel Thompson, evidently prepared in 1783 (not 1781), having 56 pages and plates. The pertinent section reveals that Thompson does indeed specifically state that the edge markings are applied after the coins have been struck, and in the watercolor plate demonstrating the application of the edge devices by means of the Chastaing machine, he even shows the images of oversized coins as already bearing their obverse and reverse designs. (This is of course contrary to what one might suppose from examination of the coins themselves.) Thompson was referring to the current practices of the Royal mint. Elizabeth Hahn wrote about this work in the last issue of the *ANS Magazine*, the number for which I prepared the article on some of your literary accomplishments in numismatics.

I will give this further study when I am back in the office next week, and will attempt to get and send to you scans of the Thompson ms. There was apparently a copy of this in the Edward Barnsley papers.

Here's wishing you and your family a very happy Labor Day weekend,

Bob

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SGs

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Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

Thu, Dec 1, 2011 at 5:06 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

Dear Phil,

Here at long last are the results of my S.G. work on your behalf:

--Portugal AV 6400 reis, 1767-R. ANS 1924.242.2, wt. 10.920g, S.G. 7.3535
This appears to be a die struck forgery. It's SG is inexplicably low for what does look gold.

--Mexico AR 8 reales, 1737. ANS [REDACTED] wt. 25.284g, S.G. 9.3748
This appears to be a cast forgery, with a filed edge. Reasonably good silver look.

--Mexico AR 8 reales, 1744. ANS 1959.159.1, wt. 26.022g, S.G. 6.7431
This piece has a low SG. It has a series of hand-cut chevrons on the edge, simulating the outlines of the tulips markings.
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--Mexico AR 8 reales, 1771. ANS 1959.101.1, wt. 27.147g, S.G. 7.9961
Struck; it is pretty well-made but now clearly base metal.

--Mexico AR 8 reales, 1775. ANS 0000.999.55883, Wt. 27.041g, S.G. 6.7737
Appears to be cast, but has a nicely deceptive edge decor, low SG. Reasonably good silver look.

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Good silver look.

--Massachusetts AR P.T. shilling, N. 13. ANS 1964.66.1, wt. 2.575g, S.G. 10.0980
High SG, indicating good silver. Good silver look.

I hope this is helpful. Again, my sincere apologies for making you wait so unconscionably long!

All best wishes,

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[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Fri, Dec 2, 2011 at 1:43 PM

From: [REDACTED]
To: [REDACTED]
Sent: 12/2/2011 11:28:01 A.M. Central Standard Time
Subj: Fwd: SGs

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Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

Happy Birthday!!

2 messages

Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

Fri, May 25, 2012 at 1:38 PM

Reply-To: Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

To: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>

Dear Eric,

Here's wishing you a very happy birthday, my friend! We, your many admirers, are thinking of you!

All the best,

Bob Hoge

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]

Wed, May 30, 2012 at 12:53 PM

Thanks for your kind greetings. I am older with pleasure. E4ic

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Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

Happy Birthday!

1 message

Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

Sun, May 25, 2014 at 6:35 PM

To: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>

Hi Eric,

Here's wishing you a Happy Birthday from Spain, my wife's home.

All the best,

Bob

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Fwd: Happy Birthday!

2 messages

Eric <[REDACTED]>

Wed, May 25, 2016 at 1:45 PM

To: Print <[REDACTED]>

----- Original message -----
From: Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>
Date: 5/25/2016 10:59 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "<[REDACTED]>"
Subject: Happy Birthday!

Dear Eric,

Here's wishing you a very Happy Birthday from Catalunya, where I now live part of the time with my lovely wife, who is a professor of Art History at the University of Barcelona. Like you, I always try to keep up with what is going on in numismatics, although I must admit that some times it escapes me... Although I am now officially retired as Curator Emeritus from the ANS, I am really as active as ever in the field. You are my inspiration; how I do admire the great work you have done, and always are doing, in numismatics.

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Eric <[REDACTED]>

Wed, May 25, 2016 at 1:46 PM

To: Print <[REDACTED]>

----- Original message -----
From: Pete Smith <[REDACTED]>
Date: 5/25/2016
8:10 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Happy Birthday!

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Happy Holidays, Felices Festes

1 message

Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

Sat, Dec 24, 2016 at 10:44 AM

Reply-To: Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

To: Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

¡We wish you all the joy of the season and a wonderful new year!

Imma & Robert Hoge



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Eric Newman <[REDACTED]>

Happy Birthday!

1 message

Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

Fri, May 26, 2017 at 1:18 AM

Reply-To: Robert Hoge <[REDACTED]>

To: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>

Dear Eric,

Thinking of you, I just wanted to to send greetings to wish you a Happy Birthday, with many happy returns! You are truly a stellar light in the numismatic firmament, and a splendid inspiration!

I always remember you kind hospitality when I was able to visit you at your home some years ago. Thanks again.

All best wishes,

Bob Hoge